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Oliver Hecker, et al.

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For: Method of Operating Braking Assisted Systems

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### AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION (37 C.F.R. SECTION 1.116)

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### INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated June 16, 2003 (Paper No. 21), finally rejecting claims 1, 10 and 17-19, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

### SUMMARY OF AMENDMENTS

#### SPECIFICATION

☒ There are no amendments to the specification.

☐ Marked up replacement(s) paragraphs are presented in a separate section.

#### CLAIMS

☐ There are no amendments to the claims.

☒ A complete listing of all claims ever present in this case in ascending order with status identifier is presented in a separate section.